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Sir:

Applicants file this Amendment under 37 CFR 1.116 in response to the Final Examiner's Action dated 20 December 2005 within the statutory period of three months to 20 March 2006.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.